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TYPIC-LICRAFT

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1. FOLLOWING FROM LICRAFT-1: JOAQUIN MIRABAL IS NOT BROTHER OF
Aldudo MIRABAL DIAZ
FORMER CONSUL MEXI, HAS ONLY ONE SIBLING, SISTER. OFFICIAL TITLE IS
DELEGADO DEL MINISTRO DEL INTERIOR EN LA PROVINCIA DE LA HABANA.
HAS AUTHORITY REPRESENT RAMIRO VALDES, ENTER ANY SECURITY OFFICE IN
HABANA PROVINCE, ISSUE ORDERS UNDER VALDES AUTHORITY. WEARS ARMY
CAPTAINS UNIFORM AND INSIGNSIA. IN 1951 WAS SECOND IN COMMAND OF G-2
MOS AT QUINTA AVENIDA AND CALLE 14. MAN IN COMMAND THEN IS NOW POLICE
CHIEF HABANA.

2. MIRABAL CLOSE FRIEND VALDES SINCE LONG BEFORE CASTRO TAKEOVER.
IS FROM HABANA. MOTHER REPORTED TO BE OLD TIME COMMUNIST. FAMILY HOME
WAS ON CALLE GOSS, VIBORG, HABANA. IS ABOUT 35 YEARS OLD. LICRAFT
FIRST MET IN 1957 AT WHICH TIME MIRABAL WAS CUSTOMS AGENT IN HABANA
WORKING FOR UNCLE ALSO NAMED MIRABAL. FIRM HAD SEARS ROEBUCK ACCOUNT.
MAY HAVE HAD WOOLWORTH ACCOUNT. MIRABAL ADMITTED TO LICRAFT THAT HE WAS
MAKING LOTS OF MONEY SMUGGLING LIQUOR. PRICE TO 5? HAD HAD A FLING AS
POPULAR SINGER, HAS VERY GOOD VOICE. WAS VERY FRIENDLY WITH GUSTAVO
SILVA.

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5. CIG WHO IS NOW WELL KNOWN CUBAN COMMERCIALPIPER. MANY OF HIS ASSOCIATES THIS PERIOD WERE SUSPECT HOME TEAMERS. ONCE IN PAST, ON LICRAFT TO VISIT BAR JUST ESTABLISHED BY CASTRO. CIGARETTE SMOKER. HIS OWN APPARENT PLACE WAS HOME-SEPARATED FROM IT.

3. AFTER CASTRO TAKEOVER MIRABAL WAS ASSIGNED AS CUSTOMS OFFICER HAVANA PORT, LATER WAS ASSIGNED TO AIRPORT. WAS IN SECURITY WORK AT LEAST BY 1960, PERHAPS EARLIER. VERY CLOSE FRIEND OF LABOR MINISTER MINISTER MARTINEZ SANCHEZ. WIFE WORKED FOR MARTINEZ SANCHEZ.

4. CHICAGO INFORMANT OF LICRAFT IS [MRS. ALBERT RECIO, 103⁰⁵ WELL STREET, GARY, INDIANA, PHONE 938-5555. SHE IS SISTER OF MIRABAL. WIFE] DISLIKES MIRABAL INTENSELY BUT DOES NOT WISH ANY HARM TO COME ⁰⁸ TO [HER SISTER] WOULD BE COOPERATIVE IF APPROACHED AFTER ALERTING PHONE CALL FROM LICRAFT. NEW YORK INFORMANT IS [] FRIEND OF [MRS. RECIO] ⁰⁵ AND OF LICRAFT, USED TO HAVE BEEN HER WIFE THAT USED BY LICRAFT. LICRAFT WILL OBTAIN HER PRESENT ADDRESS.

5. SUGGEST HQS ARRANGE TO INTERVIEW [MRS. RECIO] ⁰⁵ NOT TO REVEAL LICRAFT PHONES HER. PLS CABLE NAME TO BE USED BY INTERVIEWING OFFICER.

6. LICRAFT WILL PREPARE STUDY ON MIRABAL. PLS CABLE SPECIFIC POINTS WISH COVERED.

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